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THE following Addreſs from the County of *Lincoln*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by the Honourable *Philip Bertie*, Eſq; being introduced by the Honourable the Lord High Treaſurer.

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Lord Lieutenant, Deputy Lieutenants, High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Juſtices of the Peace, Clergy, Gentry, and Freeholders of Your County of *Lincoln.*

MADAM,

WHen Your moſt Sacred Majeſty was pleaſed to lay aſide Your Royal Prerogative, to alleviate the Minds of Your good People, oppreſs'd with the continued Courſe of an unequal, expenſive, and bloody War, by imparting to Your Parliament thoſe juſt Meaſures You had already taken, and was yet tranſacting, to bring it to an honourable and happy End; we can do no leſs, on our Parts, but acknowledge Your gracious Condeſcenſions in the ſame manner we read them recommended in the many dutiful Addreſſes of our Fellow Subjects, amongſt whom, we hope, we are not too late to partake of Your Royal Favours in the acceptance hereof.

Throughout the whole courſe of Your Reign hitherto, Your Majeſty's good Subjects have been employ'd in Congratulations for Victories obtained by Your Invincible Arms over the Common Enemy; but Peace is a greater Bleſſing than Victory, eſpecially ſuch a Peace as Your Majeſty has given us a Proſpect of, which has inſpir'd Your Subjects with a noble Emulation, to out-do each other in their Expreſſions of Duty and Gratitude, to ſo wiſe, ſo great, ſo good a Queen!

We ſee, with Pleaſure, and thankfully acknowledge Your Majeſty's Care in this Treaty, to confirm to us the Succeſſion of the Illuſtrious Houſe of *Hannover* to theſe Realms, and to improve and extend our Commerce beyond its antient Limits; a Commerce capable, in ſome reaſonable time, to retrieve the vaſt Expences contributed by Your Loyal Subjects in this long and tedious Scene of War.

We feel a Joy above Expreſſion, to ſee (the Earneſt of our approaching Happineſs) one of the ſtrongeſt Fortreſſes in the World in Your Majeſty's Poſſeſſeſſion; we admire Your wiſe Adminiſtration both at Home and Abroad, and pray that the God of Peace may give Succeſs to Your Pious Endeavours to procure it, and after that, permit You to enjoy the Fruits of it in a long and proſperous Reign.

The following Addreſs from the Burgh of *Drumfries*, was preſented to Her Majeſty by Dr. *John Hutton*, being introduced by the Lord High Treaſurer.

To the QUEEN's moſt Excellent Majeſty,

May it pleaſe Your Majeſty,

WE Your Majeſty's moſt Dutiful and Loyal Subjects, the Magiſtrates and Town Council of Your Royal Burgh of *Drumfries*, humbly beg leave to offer our moſt grateful Acknowledgments for Your Majeſty's Royal Condeſcenſion and Favour, in communicating to Your People the happy Progreſs of Your Majeſty's Endeavours for procuring a general Peace upon Terms honourable to Your Majeſty, for the Intereſt of Your Subjects, and Safety of Your Allies.

And when with the utmoſt Pleaſure we reflect upon the Royal Expreſſions of Your Majeſty's Concern for the Security of the Proteſtant Succeſſion in Illuſtrious Houſe of *Hanover*, with the repeated Aſſurances for the Maintaining the Church of *Scotland* as by Law Eſtabliſh'd (the Security whereof being one Eſſential Foundation of the Union, and whoſe ſteddy Loyalty to Your Majeſty's Perſon and Government, we hope, doth entitle it to Your Care and Protection) we cannot in Gratitude be wanting to render our humble Acknowledgments.

That Your Majeſty may long live to be the glorious Defender of the Proteſtant Religion, a powerful Supporter of the Liberties of *Europe*, ſtill be under the Influence of Heaven, ſo as to enable Your Majeſty to carry the Ballance of *Europe*; that Your Adminiſtrations may for ever ſecure to Your Majeſty the Love of Your Subjects, and may Your Majeſty long live in Peace, to wear a Crown here, and in the End, receive that which is Immortal, are and ſtill ſhall be, the earneſt and fervent Prayers of, may it pleaſe Your Majeſty, Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful, faithful, and loyal Subjects.

Which Addreſſes Her Majeſty receiv'd very graciouſly.

Genoa, October 2. *N. S.* The Duke of Biſcaccio, who has been a Priſoner in the Milaneſe for ſeveral Years, and is now exchanged, ſet out from hence a few Days ago; and having obtained a Paſſport of the Duke of Savoy, he is gone to Turin, from whence he intends to proceed to Madrid by the way of France. The other Neapolitan Princes who are here upon their Parole, expect likewiſe to be releaſed in a ſhort time, and have already deſired a Galley of the Republick to carry them to Marſeilles. On the 27th paſt, two Britiſh Men of War, which were in this Port, ſailed with the Admiral's and other Diſpatches for Spain. We have an Account from Leghorn, that ſeveral French Prizes have been lately brought in there by Dutch Privateers.

Florence, October 11. *N. S.* Letters from Barcelona of the 2d Inſtant bring Advice, that the Emperor's Forces, and thoſe of Her Majeſty, are ſeparated, the latter being encamped between Barcelona and Tarragona, in which Situation they intend to remain till the Duke of Argyle's Arrival in thoſe Parts, who is daily expected by the way of Toulon.

Venice, October 14. *N. S.* On Monday laſt the Council of Ten printed their Sentence againſt Signor John Baptiſt Venier, to which they have added the Promiſe of a Reward to any Perſon that kills him, Four thouſand Ducats, if it be within this State, and Six thouſand if in other Countries; and every Body is forbid to write to him under very ſevere Penalties. They ſay he is fled towards Holland. The Council of Ten have lately Condemn'd another Nobleman, call'd Martinengo, to be beheaded publickly, for having beaten a Magiſtrate at Breſſia in the Execution of his Office. We have received Advice, that on the 26th of the laſt Month the Pope held a Conſiſtory, in which he named four new Cardinals; Monſignor Orighi, Secretary of the Conſulta; Corradini, Auditor of the Pope; Pico della Mirandola, Major Domo; and Buſſi, Nuntio at Cologn. The Biſhop-ck of Oſimo is conferred upon the new Cardi al P c , and ſeveral other Promotions have been lately m ade at Rome.